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THERAPEUTIC PURPOSES BASED ON THE EXPRESSION AND METHYLATION STATE
OF THE GENES

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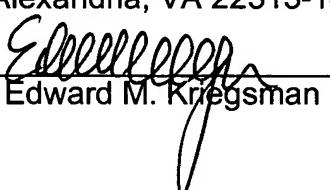
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For: METHOD FOR THE DEVELOP-) Confirmation Number: 6657
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PROPOSED AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

In response to the final Office Action dated August 24, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as indicated below.

There are no Amendments to the Specification in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

There are no Amendments to the Drawings in this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.